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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am a customer who supports broadband competition. After years of being "stuck" with the AT&T monopoly, I left that company for a small locally run internet provider and have had superior internet and phone service and lower prices as a result. If you allow AT&T to control the narrative once again, I know that my service and low prices will suffer. AT&Ts long term goal is to run all the small companies out of business and to again become the "mighty monopoly" they once were. Do not let this happen and keep competition alive.

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